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Docket No. 9733

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As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name, I believe I am the original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**SANITARY NAPKIN WITH GARMENT ATTACHMENT PANELS**

the specification of which is attached hereto.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims and any accompanying drawings.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations. §1.56(a).

  X   In compliance with this duty there is attached an information disclosure statement (37 CFR 1.97).

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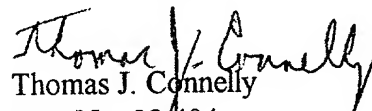
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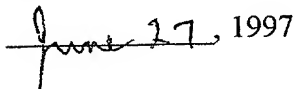
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